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JOIE RAY EQUALS RECORD

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NEW YORK, March 21.—Joie Ray of
the Illinois A.C., of Chicago, won the
L000-yard sentor championship indoor
run of the A.A.U. here, defeating Mike
Devaney of the Boston Navy Yard by
15 yards.
Edwin H. Fall, the Great Lakes Training Station crack, finished third, 35
yards behind.
The time was 2:14, equalling the
record set by Lieut, John W. Overton
last year.

## 79,680 BASEBALLS FOR A.E.F. PLAYERS

For, crazy though it may appear.
The thing means "Tank" in German

Goods Bought by Y.M.C.A. in Record Order Soon to Reach France

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Athletic Supervisors in Divisional Centers Will Have Charge of Distribution

Six thousand six hundred and forty dozen baseballs—otherwise 79,680 base-balls—1,600 dozen bats, 1,200 catcher's masks, 1,400 first baseman's mitts, 8,000 fielder's gloves cut out all the figures and call it the largest sporting goods order ever contracted for since Adam

Pennsylvania's twenty-fourth annual relay race carnival, which will take place on April 26 and 27, should be one of the most interesting sets of games ever held in the States. Already assurances have been received from Yale. Harvard, Princeton, Cornell, Chicago and many other colleges that they will have their best men present for the meet.

The races this year should be particularly interesting because nost of the canches have been stripped of their star athletes, "Last year quite a number of colleges declined to compact because of America's currance into the war. Since then nost of the colleges have resumed sports and a representative field is looked for in each of the events. was pitched out.

It was placed last November by the Y.M.C.A. for the use of the A.E.F. The contract, let among the six biggest makers of sporting goods in the United States, called for delivery in France by February 15, but before that the Government ha draken the railroads from the stockholders and soon after that the weather took them away from the Government. Then there have been considerable shipments of tomatoes, corned beef and other alleged necessities of life, and the basebails and things had to wait.

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But they're nearly here. Dr. James
M. McCurdy, head of the recreation department of the Y.M.C.A. in France
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Soccer Beats Rugby

Baseball is only one of the many athletic activities covered in this record-breaking order. It further calls for 6.400 soccer balls and 4.800 rugby balls, 1,400 dozen indoor baseballs, 2.400 volley balls, and life dozen tennis balls.

And listen, you heavy indoor athletes, there will also be 4.800 pingpong sets and 12,000 pingpong balls, 1,600 daminton sets, if you know what Badminton is, and 1,000 French froggames. There are ball a hundred other trems, but this is a newspaper, not a sporting goods catalogue.

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Some Purchases on This Side

Most of this material had to be ordered from America, but as far as possible purchases were made in England and France, in order to save every onnee of tomnage possible.

Once all these good things arrive in France, they will be speculic distributed among the divisional arbitetic centers into which the A.E.F. has been divided for the purpose. In charge of each center will be an arbitete or arbited in structor of established reputation. Seventy-four directors are already on the ground and 300 more have been asked for to be in France before November 1 next.

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Baseball practice is getting in full swing throughout the A.E.F. but arbletic activity isn't any greater anywhere than in one infamity regiment which includes in its membership more notable athletes probably than any other unit in France.

In this organization one end of a lut was fitted up several mouths ago and during the latter part of the winter served as a club room and auditorium for the staging of wrestling matches and boxing hours. With spring this has taken on the aspect of a gymnasium, the colonel of the regiment having made a raid on a Y.M.C.A. store nearby and gathered in baseballs, glowes and bust and also voiley balls. In inclement weather the enthusiasts work out indoors and, when it is fair, they repair to the drill ground, upon which has been laid out a baseball diamond, and get their arms limber and their eyes "in."

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principal concept in a state from when it came, and the other companies include athletes who hold high school and college records in pole vaulting, sprinting, hurdling and cross country running. Everybody in the organization has got the sports fever, even the officers who are discussing a shoulderbar base ball team.

am. chaplain is doing duty as umpire

## **CABLE FLASHES**

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NEW YORK, March 21.—The Charleston Navy Yard bockey team defeared
the Pittsburgh Amateur league chamjoins 5 to 1 in a popper game.

Yale has clinched the intercollegiate
symning league title by defeating
Princeton's crack team 30 to 23.

Columbia and Pennsylvania split even
in a swimping meet, Columbia winning
the sprints and diving events 47 to 12,
while Pennsy won the polo match 39 to 7.

### ARLIE MUCKS ENLISTS

Aflie Mucks, giant Wisconsin hammer and weight thrower, has enlisted in the 'rmy. He is 6 feet 5 inches tall, and a pecial outfit was required for him.

# JESS TO GIVE FULTON **CHANCE AT HIS T TLE**

Willard, heavyweight champion of the world, has ignored the demands of Jack Dempsey for a chance at the title and has practically agreed to arrange a bout with Fred Fulton, of Rochester (Minn.), for the Fourth of July.

It is announced that Fulton will be guaranteed \$20,000 for his end, with a side bet of \$5,000. It is exwith a side bet of \$5,000. It is extended that the receipts will total by the champion.

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NEW YORK, March 21.—At Camp
Upton they are having some reduct hoxing bouts in the climination tourney to
decide the regimental championships.
A lovely scrap was witnessed between
Machine Gun Joe Chamberlain of the
307th Regiment of Infantry and Rube
Lasoff to 308th Infantry, Lasoff won
the bout by his piledrive wallops.
The motor truck men gained the only
knockout when Tex Kelly put over a
left to the jaw on Al Lunn of the Depot
Brigade, putting him to sleep.

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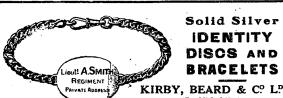
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